

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
KNOXVILLE – COURTROOM 3B

Case #: 3:21-cr-38

Date: August 11, 2021

United States of America vs. Benjamin Carpenter

Present Before: Honorable Debra C. Poplin, United States Magistrate Judge

Courtroom Deputy:  
Rachel Stone

Court Reporter:  
Kara Nagorny

Law Clerk:  
Michelle Gensheimer

Asst. U.S. Atty(s):  
Casey Arrowood

Probation Officer(s):

Atty(s) for Defendant(s):  
Benjamin Sharp  
Stephen McGrath

Others Present:

**Proceedings:**

The Court held a motion hearing to address Doc. [34] Motion to Withdraw as Attorney filed by Benjamin Sharp. The Court held a portion of this hearing under seal. The Court granted the motion, and appointed Attorney Stephen McGrath as elbow counsel for all future proceedings. The Court also addressed Doc. [33] Motion to Continue Motion Deadlines filed by the defendant. The Court granted the motion, and reset the motion deadline to October 22, 2021, with government responses due November 5, 2021.

**Dates set at this hearing:**

- ☐ Jury Trial:  
☐ Pretrial Conf.:  
☐ Detention Hrng.:  
☐ Motion Hrng.:  
☐ Status Conf:

**Deadlines set at this hearing:**

- ☐ Discovery DDL:  
☒ Motion Cut-Off: October 22  
☒ Response to Mtns: November 5  
☐ Reciprocal Disc.:  
☐ Plea DDL:

☒ Defendant remanded to custody. ☐ Defendant released on Order Setting Conditions of Release.

Time: 11:00 to 12:20